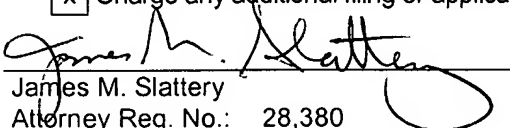


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Application No. 10/500,608-Conf. #4320		Filing Date July 1, 2004		Examiner D. J. Hanan	
Art Unit 3745					
Applicant(s): Hidemi KURITA					
Invention: VERTICAL SHAFT DRIVING DEVICE FOR WIND MILL, ETC. AND ELECTRIC GENERATOR USING THE SAME					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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 James M. Slattery Attorney Reg. No.: 28,380				Dated: <u>February 2, 2006</u>	
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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action November 3, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Claims beginning on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks which begin on page 6 of this paper.